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CONTAINING

RARE AND VALUABLE SECRETS
MONEY MAKING INVENTIONS
AND PRACTICAL RECIPES

With full instructions for manufacturing and preparing some of the best selling articles of the day.

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STICKY FLY PAPER.

Coat wrapping paper with turpentine war nish and oil to keep varnish from drying.

SILVER PLATING FLUID.

1 ounce nitrate silver. 2 ounces cyanuret potassa, 4 ounces prepared Spanish whiting, and 10 ounces pure rain water. Put up in one-ounce bottles and sell for 25 cents. Apply with a soft rag and polish with chamcis skin. This is worth \$100 to any agent.

CURLINE FOR MAKING THE HAIR CURL.

I pound olive oil, I dram oil ongairum, I drams oil rosemary. Mix well, bottle and label. Will curl the straightest hair, if not cut too short.

LIGHTNING INK ERASER.

1 pound chloride of lime in 1 gallon of

water. Let stand over night, then add 6 ounces acetic acid. Keep in a jug corked tight.

MUCH BUTTER FROM LITTLE MILK.

4 ounces pulverized alum, $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce pulverized gum arabic, 50 grains pepsin. Place in a bottle as required. A tablespoonful of this mixture added to a pint of milk will upon churning make 1 pound of butter. Agents are selling this recipe for \$5.

CHEMICAL COMPOUND.

3 ounces aqua ammonia, 1 quart soft water. 1 teaspoonful saltpetre, 1 ounce shaving soap in shavings. Mix and dissolve soap well. Very fine.

SECRETS OF THE LIQUOR TRADE.

PORT WINE.—40 gallons prepared cider, 6 gallons good port wine, 10 quarts wild grapes, ½ pound bruised rhatany root, 3 ounces tinc. kino., 3 pounds loaf sugar, 2 gallons spirits. Let this stand ten days. Color if too light with tinc. rhatany, then

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rack off and fill. This should be repeated until the color is perfect and the liquid clear.

SHERRY WINE.—40 gallons prepared cider. 2 gallons spirits, 3 pounds raisins. 6 gallons good sherry, and ½ ounce oil bitter almonds. Let stand ten days, drain off and fill like port.

CHAMPAGNE CIDER.—1 hogshead good pale cider, 2 gallons spirits. 20 pounds sugar. Mix, let stand two weeks, then fill with 1 gallon skimmed milk. This will be very pale, and when bottled opens so brisk good judges have mistaken it for the genuine article.

ARTIFICIAL BRANDY.—1 gallon pure spirits. I quart best brandy, any kind you wish to imitate, 2 ounces loaf sugar, ½ ounce sweet spirits of nitre, a few drops tinc, catechu, or oak bark, to roughen the taste if desired and color to suit.

BOURBON WHISKEY. 45 CENTS A GALLON. 4 gallons alcohol, 6 gallons water. ½ ounce juniper berries, 3 ounces cayenne pepper. 6 ounces glycerine. Mix. let stand a few

days, then strain and color to any desired shade with burnt sugar. Last, add a drop oil of carraway and 6 ounces essence bourbon to flavor. Put into a barrel in the bottom of which put a 5-cent plug of tobacco. As it gets strong add more water. Alcohol can be bought of wholesalers at \$1.25 per gallon. 95 per cent, or white spirits.

RYE WHISKEY.—! gallon alcohol, 3 gallons water, 1 gallon rye whiskey (\$1.50). 1 ounce giycerine. Color with burnt sugar to suit. Mix. Let stand two weeks.

Scotch or Irish Whiskey.—To 40 gallons proof spirits, 60 drops crec-sote dissolved in alcohol. 2 ounces acetic acid, 1 pound loaf sugar. Stand forty-eight hours. Add 5 gallons Irish or Scotch whiskey.

HOW TO MAKE ANY ONE LOVE YOU.

Give the person you wish to make love you 18 drops tinc. satal. rub. in tea, coffee. wine, or in fact anything. Said to be good.

CURE FOR DRUNKENNESS AND TO BACCO HABIT.

5 grains sulphite of iron, 10 grains magnesia, 11 drams peppermint water. 1 dram spirit of nutmeg. Twice a day. This preparation acts as a tonic and stimulant and partly supplies the place of the liquor or tobacco. The person using this must abstain from their use while taking this.

ARTIFICIAL GOLD.

16 parts platinum. 7 parts copper. 1 part zinc. Put into a crucible, melt and add 1 part pure gold. Another: 100 parts pure copper, 17 parts tin, 6 parts magnesia. 1 part sal ammoniac. 1 part quicklime. 9 parts tartar of commerce. The copper is melted first, zinc added last, about one-half hour after the other is added.

ARTIFICIAL SILVER.

dounce copper, 2 ounces brass, 3 ounces silver, 2 ounces bismuth. Melt with powdered charcoal in a crucible.

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flower water, 4 ounces balsam of Peru. 8 punces essence of bergamont, 8 ounces essence of musk, 4 ounces essence of cloves. 2 ounces essence of neroli. Mix.

HAIR DYE.

1 ounce pyrogallic acid. 4 ounce tannia dissolved in 2 ounces alcohol. Add 1 quart of soft water. No. 2: 1 ounce crystallized nitrate of silver dissolved in 1 ounce concentrated aqua ammonia; add 1 ounce gum arabic and 14 ounces soft water. Keep in the dark.

WORM LOZENGES.

10 ounces powdered sugar. 5 ounces starch. Mix with mucilage, and to every ounce add 12 grains calomel. Divide in twenty-grain lozenges. Dose, two to six.

SHAVING SOAP.

3 pounds white bar soap. 1 pound castile soap. 1 quart rain water, ½ pint beef's gall, 1 gill spirits turpentine. Cut the soap into thin slices and boil five minutes after the soap is dissolved. Stir while boiling. Scent

with oil of rose or almond. If you wish to color use $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce vermilion.

LIQUID GLUE.

1 ounce borax in 1 pint boiling water. Add 2 ounces shellac and boil until dissolved.

BOOT AND SHOE BLACKING.

l pound ivory black, 2 ounces molasses, 4 ounces olive oil, 4 ounces oil vitriol. 8 ounces alcohol, 1 pound rye flour. Mix together in a kettle.

CASTORIA.

2 drams senna, ½ ounce manna, ½ ounce Rochelle salts, ¾ dram bruised fennel. Dissolve in 4 ounces boiling water, cool, strain and add 4 ounces sugar, sufficient wintergreen to flavor.

SOZODONT.

75 grains castile soap. 75 grains glycerine. 1 ounce alcohol, 5 drams water, oil peppermint, cloves, and anise sufficient to flavor.

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in a solution of caustic potash. Remove carefully and dry on a sheet of paper. Now take a piece of copper which has been previously well coated with white wax. Lay the matter to be transferred on the plate and rub gently on the back. Raise it up carefully and the printed matter will be transferred to the wax. Now take needles of different sizes and scrawl off over the wax. Having got the design all traced out, pour over some weak acid and let stand long enough to eat into the metal. Acid to be used: 4 parts verdigris, 4 parts salt, 4 parts sal ammoniac. 1 part alum, 16 parts water, 12 parts vinegar. Dissolve wax by heat and wash off. You can now print as many from the engraving as you wish. Use good ink and rub in well. Do not try a valuable engraving at first.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES.

I pound pulv. extract of licorice, 1½ pounds pulv. sugar, 4 ounces pulv. cubebs. 4 ounces pulv. gum arabic, 1 ounce pulv. ex. conium. Mix.

ANGLER'S SECRET.

Mix the juice of loreage or smilage with any kind of bait.

FLORIDA WATER.

Dissolve in ½ gallon 90 per cent alcohol 1 ounce each oil of lavender, oil of bergamont, and oil of lemon, 1 dram each oil of cloves and oil of cinnamon. Add 1 gallon of water and filter.

TOOTH POWDER.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce chalk, $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce pulv. arris root. Mix and flavor to suit.

BED BUG POISON.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce each corrosive sublimate and sal ammoniac, 1 pint whiskey.

THREE-MINUTE SALVE FOR REMOV-ING CORNS AND WARTS.

I pound caustic potash, 4 drams belladonna, 2 ounces peroxide manganese. Mix into a salve.

CURE FOR CORNS.

Apply acetic acid night and morning. Cure certain.

BLISTERING LINIMENT.

1 part Spanish flies, 3 of lard, 1 ounce rosin. Mix lard and rosin together and add Spanish flies when it begins to cool. To render it more active add 1 pint turpentine.

CURE FOR SPLINTS AND SPAVINS.

6 ounces oil anguinum. 2 ounces gum camphor. 2 ounces mercurial ointment. 1 ounce iodine ointment. Melt by putting into a wide-mouthed bottle and setting in hot water. Apply two times daily for four or five days and a cure is guaranteed.

GRAFTING WAX.

I pound resin, I pound beeswax, with tallow or lard sufficient to soften. Melt.

DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.

20 pounds powdered guaiac. 2 pounds camphor. 6 pounds cayenne pepper. 1 pound caustic liquor of ammonia. ½ pound powd. opium. Digest the ingredients in 32 gallons alcohol for two weeks and filter.



BLOOM OF YOUTH.

Boil I ounce of Brazil wood in 3 pints of water for fifteen minutes. Strain. Add "ounces isinglass, 4 ounce ounce cochineal. I ounce alum, ½ ounce borax. Dissolve by heat and strain.

LIQUID FOR FORCING THE BEARD.

2 ounces cologne, 1 dram liquid hartshorn, 2 drams tinc. cantharides, 12 drops oil rosemary, 12 drops lavender. Apply daily.

CHEAP WHISKEY.

1 gallon alcohol, 3 gallons water. 1 gallon whiskey. Burnt sugar to color.

COLOGNE.

l gallon 95 per cent alcohol, 2 ounces oil bergamont, ½ ounce orange, ½ ounce oil cedar, ½ dram neroli, ½ dram oil rosemary. Mix well. A nice article.

LADIES' OWN.

l gallon spirits of wine, 20 drops attar of roses, $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce essence of thyme, $\frac{1}{4}$ ounce

essence of neroli, $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce essence of vanilla. I ounce essence of bergamont. 6 ounces orange flower water.

ARTIFICIAL HONEY.

5 pounds sugar. 2 pounds water. Bring to a boil, skim when cool, and add 1 pound of bees' honey and 4 drops essence of peppermint. A better article can be made by using ½ pound more honey and ½ pound less water.

HARNESS OIL.

30 gallons neatsfoot oil, 30 gallons linseed oil, 5 pounds wax, 15 pounds lampblack. A fortune in this article for some one.

ANGLER'S SECRET.

Add a drop or two oil of anise to the bait. Place a small piece of lovage or smilage in the bait box.



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